

Bruce Catton Says:

Quick Increase in "Experimental" Cities May Make Food Stamp Plans More Than An Experiment

WASHINGTON—The food stamp experiment is slowly picking up speed. Originally it was to be a pilot experiment. Now, with the plan in operation in Rochester and Dayton and due to open next in Seattle, the Department of Agriculture has stopped talking about six cities. Instead they are talking "several cities," probably will keep on going from one city to another without stopping at six.

Hempstead County Fair Will Be Held September 26 to 30

Stubbeman, President of Fair Association, Announces 5 Big Days

PREMIUMS ARE HIKED

Mayor Atkins and Council Thanked for Rendering Co-operation

Due to the co-operation of the Hope city council, mechanics, farmers and local civic organizations, the Hempstead County Fair Association has announced Thursday that the county fair will be held at Hope, Ark., September 26 to September 30.

It is understood that the fair this year will be the best ever held in Hempstead county and over \$400 additional premiums will be offered above last year's premium list.

All interested parties are requested to see the fair association for a complete list of prizes.

In order that the people of Hempstead county may better understand the constructive attitude of building a better county as set forth by the mayor of Hope and the members of the city council, the Hempstead County Fair Association wishes to quote the following resolution of the city council:

Fair Resolution

Whereas, The City of Hope has for many years contributed to a County Fair; and

Whereas, In order to insure a Fair being held this year it is necessary for the City to contribute thereto; and

Whereas, The Hempstead County Fair Association has submitted to the City Council its plans for conducting a County Fair during the last five days of the month of September next; and

Whereas, A County Fair is of material benefit to the City of Hope and Hempstead County, and especially the agricultural and stock growing interests of the County;

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Hope, in regular meeting assembled, that the City donate to the Hempstead County Fair Association a sum of money equal to all license fees collected from carnivals and shows during the week of said Fair; also all money collected for water and/or electricity sold to such carnivals and shows during said week; except, however, such charges as may be made for installing and removing the equipment necessary to furnish said service, and other overhead expenses, that may be incurred in checking said installation and service.

Approved and passed at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Hope, this 22nd day of June, 1939.

Attest: Mayor of the City of Hope.

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CRANIUM CRACKERS

Here's a motion picture puzzle for you.

Each of the following statements conceals a prominent movie actor or actress. Who?

1. He often plays a butler and his name rhymes with "floor."

2. She goes by one name only and recently married.

3. A comedian whose last name indicates trust in the future.

4. She was the feminine lead in "Three Comrades."

5. His first name is Harry and he appeared in "East Side of Heaven."

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Hope Star

WEATHER. Arkansas—Partly cloudy, local thunder showers in northwest and extreme north portions Thursday night; Friday mostly cloudy.

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Another Arrest in Arson Probe of Hotel Fire

Sevier County Man Is Apprehended by Sheriff Sanderson

Arrest of J. T. Prince of Gilliam Brings List Up to Six

PROBE IS CONTINUED

More Arrests Possible Before Investigation Closes

Another arrest in the investigation of the burning of the unoccupied three-story Princess hotel at Ashdown the morning of June 3 was disclosed Thursday by Sheriff Jim Sanderson, bringing the list of suspects to six, three white men and three negroes.

The latest arrest was made Wednesday at DeQueen when Sheriff Sanderson took into custody J. T. Prince, about 33. Sheriff Sanderson said that the home of Prince was at Gilliam, Sevier county, Ark.

Sanderson said Prince was arrested on a warrant charging arson, filed by Prosecuting Attorney Byron Goodson of DeQueen. Prince was brought to Hope by the sheriff where a \$1,000 bond was made here Wednesday afternoon.

Sanderson said the investigation was not closed and that "other arrests next few days." He declined to reveal information which led to the arrest of Prince.

All of the suspects are at liberty under bond with the exception of Chris Wheaton, negro of Hope, who was apprehended by officers as he fled from the scene of the blazing hotel.

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Urges Change of Air Systems on U. S. Subs

PORTSMOUTH, N. H. — (AP) — A civilian expert in submarine construction—the only one of three non-navy men who survived the Sculpin disaster—recommended Thursday that ventilating equipment on every United States submarine be changed in the interest of safety.

The submarine expert, Harold C. Preble, said he did not consider the present type of air induction valve efficient or effective.

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Labor Racketeers Should Be Dealt Blow, Says Flynn

Six-Hour Day Is Serious Set-Back, Noted Writer Declares

BID-FIXERS FLAYED

Material Dealers Fix Prices, Hold Up Costs of Building

Fourth of six articles on reasons for the slump in investment and ways of bringing it up to normal.

By JOHN T. FLYNN
(Written for NEA Service)

We have set down war on every form of monopoly as the first step in a true recovery program—the feeling of enterprise to function at its fullest efficiency and at an economic price.

The second plank in a recovery platform is the clearing away of the obstacles to investment in the great investment industries.

The first of these is, the construction industry.

Investment in building is being held up by a group of easily recognizable factors. One is labor. Labor obstacles arise from several sources.

(1) The wage of building labor is absolutely prohibitive now. It is defended by labor on the ground that building laborers do not work enough days a year to earn a living at a smaller wage.

But the higher they put the wage, the fewer days they work. They now have it at a point where building becomes impossible.

(2) Working conditions make building labor too costly. The six-hour day is perhaps the most serious set-back. The refusal to permit builders to use savings of all sorts, the attempt to compel the builder to adopt the most wasteful and expensive form of construction processes in order to increase work not only does not increase it, it kills it altogether.

(3) Labor racketeers which many dishonest leaders use to hold up building contracts should be ruthlessly put down. These are found in the cities where building could be most

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U. S. Rebuffs Japs On Order to Move From China Ports

Instead of Moving, U. S. Commander Brings in Another War Ship

4 VESSELS STAND BY

British Bluejackets Halt Jap Examination of Cargo

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The United States government bluntly informed Japan Thursday that instead of clearing its ships out of Chinese harbors that its warships would stay in these ports "as long as an American citizen is in need of protection or assistance."

Told by the Japanese to take the Destroyer Pillsbury out of Swatow, Admiral Harry Yarnell, chief of the Asiatic fleet, flatly refused.

He went even farther, the navy department disclosed Thursday, and brought in another destroyer, The Pope.

The gunboat Asheville will follow from Hongkong.

Four Destroyers

SHANGHAI — (AP) — Two American and two British destroyers stood by in the Swatow harbor late Thursday despite a Japanese order or suggestion that foreign warships and national warships withdraw from the newly captured South China port.

Foreign naval forces doubled during the day, except for the departure of 20 British women and children. Others stood pat.

Blue Jackets to Scene

TIENTSIN — (AP) — The sudden appearance of British Bluejackets Thursday halted a Japanese examination of a cargo being discharged by British lighters.

A Japanese military patrol withdrew at the sight of the Bluejackets after soldiers had begun inspecting the cargo being discharged at the British bund.

A message from London, from Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax, to Consul General E. G. Jamieson, expressed the government's sympathy to the "repeated acts of aggression" against British interests in China.

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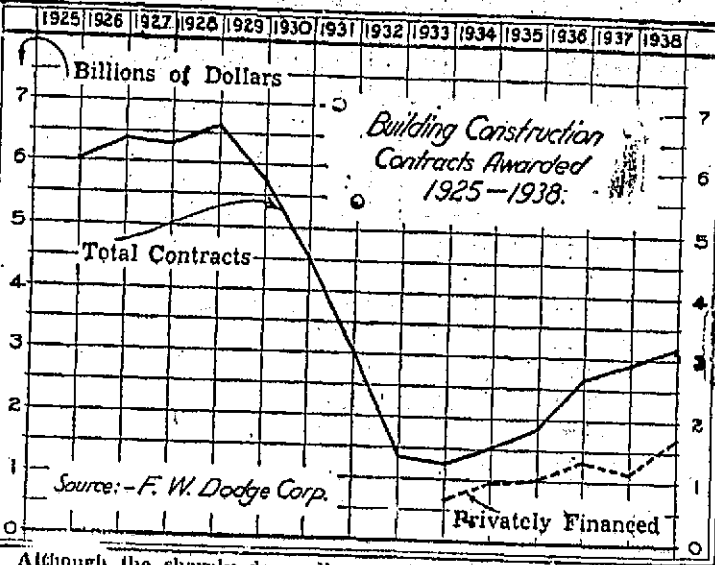
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The man with the hod, symbolic of building labor. His wages and working hours vitally concern the present and future of the construction industry.



Although the sharply descending curve of building contracts shows a slight upturn, it is far from its pre-depression level.

Game Warden for Hempstead County

Miles Laha of Patmos Is Appointed by State Commission

Miles Laha of Patmos was appointed game warden of Hempstead county Wednesday by the Arkansas Game and Fish commission.

Under a 1939 act, the commission is empowered to appoint one warden for each county of the state if the funds permit.

Twenty-two other appointments of game wardens for counties of Arkansas were also announced by the commission, among some of whom were:

George F. Burke, Stamps, Lafayette county; Elmore McCorkle, Mineral Springs, Howard county; P. G. Coker, Murfreesboro, Pike county; James M. Sutton, DeQueen, Sevier county.

The new wardens will assume their new duties at intervals throughout July to permit officials to acquaint them with their taxes.

The commission announced that it had voted to hold up temporarily proposed appointments in nine additional counties because more time was needed to complete investigation of qualifications of applicants and to determine amount of revenue to be produced by new legislation.

The next regular commission meeting will be held on July 14.

The uninhabited lands of the polar regions have an area greater than all Europe.

Nevada Court Will Convene on July 3

Nineteen Criminal Cases to Face Judge Dexter Bush

PRESCOTT, Ark.—The July term of the Nevada county circuit court will open on Monday, July 3 with Judge Dexter Bush of Texas, presiding.

The civil docket will open on that day, with 18 cases being disposed of. There will be a recess on Tuesday, to observe the fourth of July holiday.

The criminal court will open Wednesday, July 5, with 19 cases coming up.

The following is a list of grand jurors for this July 1939 term of the circuit court:

J. A. Winberry, J. C. Downs, Sherman Sutton, John Coyne, W. H. Bule, W. E. Stockton, P. M. Blakely, C. P. Caldwell, Herman Reyenga, J. A. Beatty, W. E. Barlow, J. C. Ingram, W. Drake, J. D. Cantley, N. E. Ward, J. E. Horne. The following is the list of alternate grand jurors: Alec May, T. E. Burns, H. L. Waters, C. C. Henry.

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Cotton

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — July cotton opened Thursday at 9.47 and closed at 9.43.

Spot closed quiet and unchanged, middling 9.45.



A golf ball floated lazily over their heads, missing them by inches. "That one had backspin on it," said.

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PAR IS LOVE

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CHAPTER I

ROYALTON AUGUSTUS HERRING brought his car to a stop beside the wall. Having done this, he got out and regarded the apple tree. The trunk was not in his line of vision for it grew directly behind the wall. But certain branches of nomadic disposition had seen fit to venture over and, weighted down with luscious fruit, were brooding over the territory by the roadside.

"Well," thought Royalton Augustus, "it may be a felony, but here goes." And he reached for the lowest bough, feeling like Adam.

As he did so a slight sound startled him. A girl, a black-haired girl, suddenly popped up from the other side of the wall. The fingers of Royalton Augustus Herring closed on empty air. His hand came down with guilty swiftness and for lack of anything better to do with it, he put it in his pocket.

"Oh," he said. "Oh—er—um . . . I beg your pardon."

More of the girl appeared. He perceived that she had great iridescent eyes that put him in mind of the sea at sundown, and a wide mouth which looked as if it wanted to laugh.

"Go on," she said, regarding him somberly. "Don't let me stop you."

"Well, I really—you know, I wasn't. That is, if you'll let me explain." Royalton stopped, aware that he was jittering.

"I see," said the girl. "You

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Expect Big Crowd for Softball Game

Lion Oilers to Play Robins and Brun

SOCIETY

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Lifting and Lending

There are two kinds of people on earth today. Just two kinds of people, no more, I say. Not the good and the bad, for it's well understood. The good are half-bad and the bad are half-good. Not the happy and sad, for the swift flying years bring each man his laughter and each man his tears. Not the rich and the poor, for to count a man's wealth is to count his woe. You must first know the state of his conscience and health. Not the two kind of people on earth I mean. Are the people who lift and the people who lean. In which class are you? Are you easing the load of overtaxed lifters who toil down the road? Or are you a learner who let others bear.

Mrs. George Bell and daughter, Miss Margery Bell, of Little Rock, were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Clyde Hill.

Miss Evelyn Green, of Little Rock, arrived Thursday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Johnnie McCabe, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lee Holt entertained at an informal tea, Wednesday afternoon, at her home in Washington at which time, the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Kathryn to Mr. Ward L. Stevens, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was announced.

Miss Betty Jean Laseter of Little Rock is the guest of relatives and friends in the city.

Miss Stille Marie Hudson of Waco, Texas, and Hoyt Anderson of Hope, Ark., will be married Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the First Baptist church of Waco, with Dr. J. M. Dawson, pastor, officiating.

Both Miss Hudson and Anderson are Baylor University graduates. Lallah Hudson, the bride's sister, and a Baylor student, will be maid of honor. Mrs. Leon Smith, of La Grange, Texas, also a Baylor graduate, will be matron of honor. Bridesmaids will be Cathryn

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Mr. and Mrs. Hayes McKee and daughter, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. C. McKee and other relatives for the past two weeks left Wednesday for their home in Detroit, Mich.

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Falls Into Films



Fired as a maid, pretty Amanda Lane strapped on her skates and started downhill to apply for movie job. Reaching studio door, she couldn't stop, and fell right into \$100-per-week role.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Elm. C. D. Salter, Pastor

"The Master is come and calleth for thee," was the subject of a soul stirring message brought by Bro. Swafford at Unity Baptist church Wednesday night.

A good interest is being manifested, the crowd is increasing in number each night, and the Lord graciously blessed our service with two new members.

"Watching the devil try to destroy the seed of the woman," will be the subject for the discourse for Thursday night.

Morning service 9:00 o'clock. Song and prayer each evening 7:45. Preaching 8:15.

We welcome you in our revival.

Crisher and Marjorie Nabors, both Baylor graduates of 1938. Gene Kuntz, Baylor law student from Houston, will be best man. Andres received his bachelor of arts degree in speech from Baylor in 1938. He was a member of the Baylor Little Theater, and a pioneer in the radio work of the institution's speech department. He is now on the staff of Radio Station WOAI, San Antonio. Miss Hudson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dunker Hudson, received her bachelor of arts degree in speech in 1938. She was a member of the Baylor Little Theater, Alpha Psi Omega and the Urbanites. Following the wedding, the couple will go directly to San Antonio to make their home.

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Texas Commissioner of Agriculture Asks for Resignation

WASHINGTON. — (AP) — A new demand for the resignation of Henry Wallace came Wednesday from J. E. McDonald, Texas commissioner of agriculture, shortly after the secretary of agriculture had informed reporters he had no intention of giving up his job.

McDonald summoned newsmen to a press conference here and told them he "heartily agreed" with the action taken by the Wisconsin assembly in adopting a resolution asking Wallace to resign. The Texan said Wallace had "thoroughly demonstrated his inability to solve the cotton problem," and should resign unless he could "recognize his failure and offer something better."

McDonald made public a telegram which Ralph W. Moore, master of the Texas State Grange, sent to Wallace today in which he asserted the administration's "agricultural program has proven a colossal and tragic failure."

"May 1," Moore telegraphed, "in the interest of the American farmer, laborer and our nation, urge you to immediately resign."

McDonald said he agreed with Moore. The Texan, an opponent of the administration's proposal to subsidize cotton exports, said he had been a supporter for six years of the domestic allotment plan. This would pay farmers partly prices for production up to the limits of their "fair share" of the domestic market, and leave them free to sell in the world market, at whatever prices they could get, products raised in excess of allotments.

Walt Mason, Humorist and Poet, Succumbs

SAN DIEGO. — (AP) — Walt Mason, 77, humorist and poet, died early Thursday at his home in suburban La Jolla after an illness of several weeks.

A person with normal color vision can distinguish about 160 hues. But many such people can't tell red from green on a stop light.

Switzerland, neutral during the World war, has boasted armament appropriations. Apparently they think the next fracas must be met with something more than a yodel.

CLUB NOTES

Hinton The Hinton Home Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon June 13 with ten members and three 4-H club members present.

For devotional Miss Bulin Simmons read 23rd Psalm and all repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison, led by Mrs. C. D. Middlebrooks. Followed by group singing.

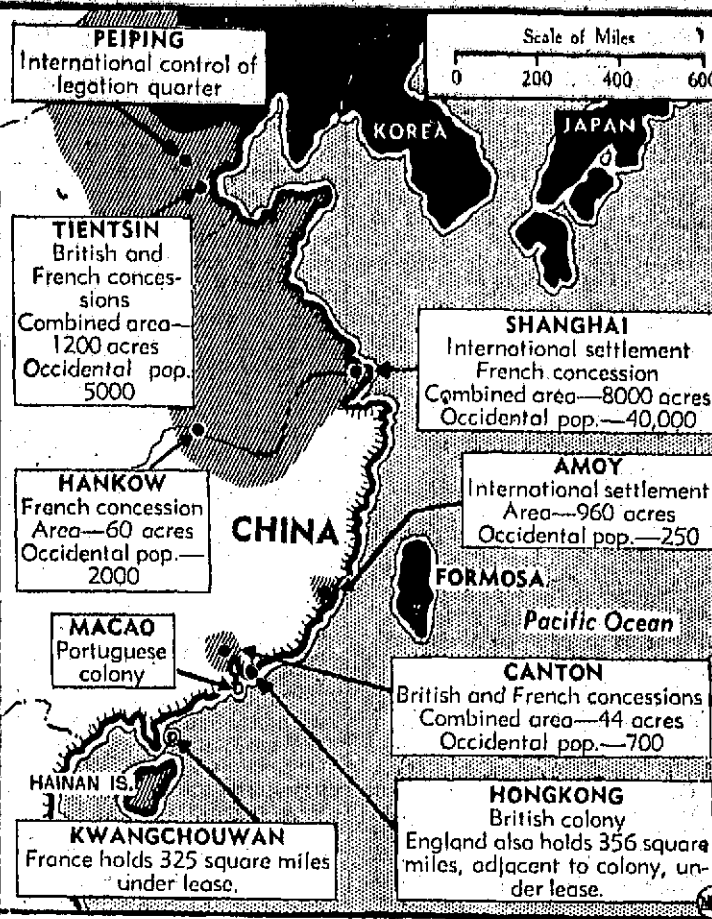
Old and new business was dispensed with and local leaders turned reports over to Mrs. Berlin Simmons to prepare for county council.

Mrs. G. H. Black led an interesting discussion on taxation, after which Miss Bullington gave a demonstration on culling poultry.

Mrs. W. E. Simmons read a leaflet entitled "Dollar Stretchers," which we all read. Arrangements were made for conveyance to county council and adjourned until July.

Our social hour was spent in practicing our play to be given at the county council.

Foreign Obstacles in Japan's Path



Stumbling blocks in Japan's drive to complete conquest of China are major foreign concessions and settlements, shown on above map, which Japanese now seek to control. Centers of current clash between Japan and western powers are Tientsin and Amoy, scenes of Jap blockade, and Shanghai, where Japan presses demand for greater control of French concession and international settlement. Black area on map is what Japan held before start of war in 1937; shaded territory indicates extent of Japanese occupation in China in past two years.

The struggle for the foreign "concessions" in China is a struggle for the values through which flow in normal times the bulk of Chinese trade with the outside world. The beginnings of the foreign concession system go back almost 100 years. China was then, and has continued, turbulent in its interior administration. After the Opium War of 1842, the British hit on a plan protecting their trade and traders.

By treaty with China, Britain established in Shanghai a part of the city which should be practically British. Here British merchants, importers, bankers, manufacturers, exporters, shippers were to live, protected by British guns and soldiers from hostility of the Chinese people of the rest of the city. Here they administered their own justice, carried on public and health services, forming a little "British island" in the sea of the Chinese population of teeming Shanghai. The French secured a similar concession a few years later.

China Sought to Recover In 1861, the British, French, Italians, and Japanese were similarly entrenched at Tientsin, soon the French were at Hankow, and the Japanese followed. Canton and Amoy followed, and German, Russian, Austrian, and Belgian concessions bloomed among the rest in the "treaty ports."

Agitation was continued in China to regain these concessions, which were a continual reproach to Chinese sovereignty. But the World War offered the big chance. The German, Austrian, and Russian concessions dropped back into Chinese hands. The Belgians moved out in 1928.

U. S. Has No Concession The United States never has had a concession in China. It has shared the administration of several of them in cities where there was a large amount of American business, like Shanghai and Amoy. Americans doing business in China, however, usually live in and accept the protection of one or another of the foreign concessions, usually the British. Garrisonians of American troops have been stationed in Shanghai, Tientsin, and Peiping, alongside British, French, Italian, and Japanese forces, to help guard their nationals.

The United States, however, has always taken the position that so far as her own rights were concerned in the concessions where she is represented (Shanghai and Amoy) she would always listen to reasonable and orderly proposals to change the status.

The theory behind all the foreign concessions, usually held under treaty and lease, has been that they were simply being administered as an expedient until a Chinese government should arise which could guarantee the safety and rights of the foreign colonies.

Japan Might Close Door Now the Japanese appear to be engaged in a desperate effort to abolish all these foreign concessions in China. If this were done, and the conces-

sions turned over to China, it would be at least open to argument. But the present prospect is that the concessions will either all simply become Japanese, or they will be turned over to a Chinese government (if the Japanese win) which would be like that of Manchukuo, simply a stooge for Japan. Then, with the power to control the valves, Japan could shut any country off from Chinese trade at will.

The Japanese argument is that the foreign settlements are being used as base for shipment of war supplies to China, for centers of agitation and plotting against the Japanese occupation, safe from preventive police action.

City tax policies have got to be examined, because after buildings are erected the tax burden is so great from local authorities that operating the building at a profit becomes difficult.

This is further complicated by the demands of the maintenance unions. The union leaders should look this over carefully themselves to see whether they are not going too far. I am not complaining about wage rates of maintenance workers, but about the requirements as to the number of employees.

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abundant.

I know it is not popular to say this. But it is the truth and the sooner the public faces it the better. Bld-Fixers Should Be Punished

Sub-contractors should be ruthlessly urged by the Department of Justice when they attempt to fix bids—which they do upon a large scale. Material dealers should be equally pursued and prosecuted when they attempt to enter into combinations to fix prices and hold up costs. This is one of the most serious obstacles to building.

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Nevada Court Will New Spending Plan Is Urged by F. D. R.

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The following is a list of the petit jurors: S. M. Marlar, L. A. McKamie, C. L. Bennett, J. G. Gann, W. F. Sanders, Loyd Reese, Johnny Sanders, H. C. Ridgell, W. H. Bule, J. A. Hart, A. C. Cummins, W. E. McFarland, Horace Hamilton, W. C. McCants, Earl Glass, J. Y. Haynie, Houston Delaney, C. O. Hodge, Grady Harris, George Miller, A. A. Woodul, Charlie Pye, Ralph Fore, R. L. Kidd Jr., Rodie Butler, M. J. Taylor, Sid Dewoody, Jesse Griffith, R. E. Butcher, C. T. Rollings, Dervis Knight, Earl Haynie, R. A. Crank, Jewell Crammage.

fates so far as their debts are concerned. If they are too deeply in debt the companies should take the same course as any other industry in bankruptcy. They will clean up their debts and revive their credit. Hundreds of millions would pour into the roads for reconstruction.

As for the utilities, the administration should make up its mind what it is going to do about them and make that as clear as possible. And the utilities themselves should make up their minds to submit to the provisions of the utility holding company act, which are perfectly reasonable. But the E. E. C. should hasten action in forcing compliance.

These three steps would aid vastly in advancing recovery.

NEXT: How and how much should the government spend?

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2 More Producers in Magnolia Area

Field Now Has 33 Producing Wells—Gauges to Be Taken Thursday

MAGNOLIA, Ark.—Vaughn's Joel Jones semi-wildcat test, a mile west of production in Section 21, and Southwood's J. A. Foster No. 1, Section 24, came in Wednesday as the 32d and 33d wells in the Magnolia field. They are both good producers, but gauges will not be taken until Thursday.

The Jones well practically opens a new field. It is three miles east of Magnolia and a mile west of the nearest producer. This western spread is coming nearer to Magnolia, and apparently the structure is showing higher.

Vaughn's Baker No. 2 has set pipe for a test. It is bottomed at 7,575 feet. It is in the NE SE of 15-17-20.

Dean of Hot Springs Ministers Succumbs

HOT SPRINGS, Ark.—(P)—A long time illness brought death Wednesday to Dr. Charles F. Collins, 60, dean of Hot Springs ministers and chaplain at Camp Pike, Ark., during World War.

Rector of St. Luke's church here for 20 years, Dr. Collins resigned last year because of his failing health. A native of England, he came to the United States when he was 19.

He was ordained in Christ church, Little Rock in 1911.

Funeral services will be held here Thursday.

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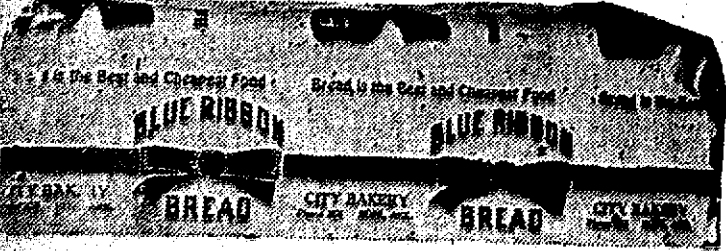
FRIDAY-SATURDAY SPECIALS

CORN	2 Ears	5c
TEXAS TOMATOES	2 Lbs	9c
HOME GROWN TOMATOES	2 Lbs	15c
Black Eyed PEAS	1 Pound	5c
OKRA	1 Lb.	10c
STRING BEANS	1 Lb.	5c
BUTTER BEANS	2 Lbs.	15c
SQUASH	1 Pound	4c
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Governor Leche to Resign Office

Louisiana Governor Blames Ill Health—Long to Succeed Him

BATON ROUGE, La.—(P)—Gov. Richard W. Leche said Wednesday night he would resign before the end of next week because of poor health. Lieut. Gov. Earl K. Long, brother of the late Huey P. Long will take Leche's place as the state's chief executive.

The governor issued the following statement:

"Last January, after nearly three strenuous years in the governorship, I suffered a severe physical breakdown and was confined to bed two and a half months, some of this time in the hospital. While this breakdown was rather severe, I did not take it seriously at the time, and as quickly as possible got back into the routine of my office. However, several weeks ago I suffered a recurrence, and this second attack, as well as the advice of my physicians, has convinced me that my physical condition is not to be taken lightly.

"The program which we outlined to the people is either completely fulfilled or under way, the advertisement and awarding of the contract for the Monroe charity hospital being the last step in this program. This step will be taken this week.

"It is therefore with a great deal of regret that I announce that because of my health and on the advice of my physicians, I will resign from the governorship before the end of next week, and for the immediate future, at least, devote my time to regaining my health.

"My resignation, of course, will result in Lieut. Gov. Earl K. Long's becoming governor of Louisiana. Mr. Long has tremendous backing throughout the country, and is the announced choice of Mayor Robert S. Maestri of New Orleans. Therefore I feel that in taking the step which I contemplate, the destinies of the organization will remain in safe and sound hands.

State Senator Coleman Lindsey, deputy state banking commissioner, would advance to the lieutenant governorship in his capacity as president pro tempore of the Senate.

The governor's formal announcement came after a conference at the mansion attended by several high state politicians.

State Treasurer A. P. Tugwell had said he would run for governor in the January, 1940, Democratic primary whether or not the state administration gave him its endorsement.

Herbert Marshall On Witness Stand

Movie Star Testifies He Turned Down Bond Scheme

NEW YORK.—(P)—The government pushed its mail fraud case against William P. Buckner Jr., Wednesday with the testimony of Hollywood peonages, including Herbert Marshall, the British actor.

The central effort was to show that Buckner, through two of his four co-defendants, had made approaches to get Hollywood money as part of an alleged scheme to manipulate the market for Philippine railway bonds.

Marshall was no direct help in this case. He testified that when John Stuart Hyde and C. W. Turner, reputed Buckner associates, called upon him he had given them nothing more than "a spot of tea." As to the business matter which they had come to discuss—a matter which acknowledged was quite vague in his mind—the actor said he had told his callers to take that up with Miss Helen Dawson, his secretary.

Miss Dawson produced stenographic notes of a conversation with Hyde and Turner in which the latter was represented as having said that "huge profits" could be made by dealing in Philippine bonds, and as having asked \$5,000 from Marshall.

She said Hyde had left for her employer a little note, headed "Dear Bart," which read in part: "I am afraid your secretary's notes will not explain to you how attractive the nature of this deal is. It is unique. It is not likely to appear in a lifetime. Incidentally, it will put me on my feet. It requires an Englishman. There are no risks. The profits are enormous. It is one of those unbelievable things.

With the latter observation, Marshall apparently agreed, for Miss Dawson testified that he later left her a memorandum to "turn the deal down."

Everett Crosby, brother of Bing, the crooner, testified that Turner had tried openly that the deal was not honest. In vain to get him to put \$35,000 in the bond deal. He said Turner "admitted

The Standings

Hope Softball League

Class A League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Bruner-Ivory	7	0	1.000	
Leo Robins	4	4	.500	

Class B League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Soil Conservation	8	2	.800	
Bruner-Ivory	7	3	.700	
Unique Cafe	3	2	.600	
Geo. W. Robison	4	6	.400	
Gunter Bros.	1	8	.111	

Wednesday's Results
No games scheduled.

Thursday Night
Bruner-Ivory A vs. Lion Oil of El Dorado.
Leo Robins vs. Lion Oil of El Dorado.
Admission 20c, children 10c.
Bruner B to play winner in exhibition game.

Friday Night
Geo. W. Robison vs. Gunter Bros.

Southern Association

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Memphis	35	25	.583
Chattanooga	35	27	.565
Knoxville	31	28	.525
Atlanta	30	28	.517
New Orleans	31	31	.500
Nashville	29	34	.460
Little Rock	24	36	.400

Wednesday's Results
Nashville 5, Knoxville 4.
Birmingham 6, New Orleans 6.
Chattanooga 15, Atlanta 2.
Only games scheduled.

Games Thursday
Little Rock at Knoxville.
Birmingham at Chattanooga.
Memphis at Nashville.
New Orleans at Atlanta.

National League

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	37	19	.661
St. Louis	30	23	.566
New York	30	26	.536
Chicago	29	28	.509
Brooklyn	27	27	.500
Pittsburgh	24	29	.450
Boston	22	32	.407
Philadelphia	18	33	.353

Wednesday's Results
Chicago 3, Boston 0.
St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 4.
St. Louis 14, Philadelphia 2.
Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 1.

Games Thursday
New York at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Only games scheduled.

American League

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	43	11	.798
Boston	30	22	.577
Cleveland	29	25	.536
Detroit	29	27	.518
Chicago	28	27	.509
Philadelphia	21	32	.396
Washington	22	36	.379
St. Louis	16	39	.281

Wednesday's Results
St. Louis 5, Boston 0.
New York 9, Chicago 8.
Cleveland 9, Washington 8.
Only games played.

Games Thursday
Chicago at New York.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at Washington.

Special announcement to Masons of Hempstead county. Whitfield Lodge No. 239 will confer a Masters degree Friday night, June 23. Also special announcement concerning all Masons of Hempstead county. Refreshments served. 22-2t

The phenomenal gold mining development of the Philippines got its start from American soldiers who remained in the islands after the Spanish-American war.

Two signers of the Declaration of Independence died on an anniversary of the historic date of signing, July 4.

Approximately 800,000 house trailers are in the United States.

British Get Hot Letters



A blinding flash of flame greeted a London postman when he opened the mailbox seen between the two firemen at right. Thirty-seven persons in five English cities have been injured by incendiary bombs concealed in letters during a recent wave of terrorism.

SERIAL STORY

PAR IS LOVE

BY EDWIN RUTT

(Continued from Page One)

didn't want an apple? You were just measuring something! Making a calculation, perhaps?"

"Why, how did you know?" asked Royalt, deciding upon a course of action. "As a matter of fact, that's just what I was doing."

"I was trying to figure out where I'd dropped my watch," he said. "Oh, I get it. You dropped your watch and it stuck in the tree. Well, it ought to be easy to find. I suggest this: Begin at the top of the tree and work down. You're bound to run it to earth that way."

"No," said Royalt slowly. "I think it's on the ground."

"How convenient!" The girl swung a leg over the wall. It was a silk-stockinged leg and offhandedly Royalt Augustus couldn't recall when he'd seen a prettier one. "Tell me, was it a good watch?"

"Nothing wonderful! But it was well, it had sentimental value. You see, it was my grandfather's."

"You oughtn't to throw your grandfather's watches around like this," said the girl severely. "Here, I'm coming down to look for it. Help me down."

ROYALT AUGUSTUS was enraptured to obey. He did so with fervor. She landed heavily on her feet and then stood, tall, slim and smiling, at his side.

"You're not a baggage man by chance, are you?" she inquired.

"No. Why?"

"Oh, nothing. Just a passing thought."

"As a matter of fact," said Royalt Augustus, "I'm in the advertising business."

"Well then, what are you doing here?" the girl demanded. "There's nothing to advertise in this vicinity."

Royalt wasn't so sure. He wouldn't have minded at that moment roughing out a bit of copy about iris-colored eyes and hair close-cropped and smoky black. However, ordinarily he was a fast worker, but this girl rather took the wind out of him. She was so direct and—well, disconcerting.

"I'm on my vacation," he explained.

"Oh, Well, let's look for the watch." Her eyes were grave, but somehow he distrusted the gravity. "Where do you think you dropped it?"

At this point a golf ball floated lazily over their heads, missed the radiator of Royalt's car by a hair and settled in the dust of the roadside like a spent pigeon. The girl regarded it without surprise. "The one had backspin on it," she said.

"I beg your pardon."

"She picked up the ball."

"Ronald, I expect," she said judicially.

"Ronald?"

"Yes. But on second thought it looks more like Wilfrid. Ronald cuts them deeper."

"I see," said Royalt bravely. The girl laughed. "You couldn't possibly. You don't know Ronald and Wilfrid."

"Come to think of it, you're right," said Royalt. "Who are they?"

"They? Oh, they're my fiancés."

"My fiancés. The man I'm going to marry."

"Fiancés? Ronald? Wilfrid? The man you're going to marry?" Royalt sank down on the running board of his car. "Look here, you'll forgive me if I appear a little dumb. But I don't think I've tumbled yet. Now let's get together. Have a cigar first."

"WELL, now, as I get it the position is this: There's Ronald and Wilfrid and they're both your fiancés. But, being old-fashioned, you're only going to marry one of them. Well, somebody's going to get the thin end, aren't they?"

"Not necessarily!" The girl shrugged. "You see, if I marry Ronald I'm practically marrying Wilfrid. And if I marry Wilfrid... well, to all intents and purposes, I've married Ronald. Get it?"

Royalt Augustus shook his head. "After all, I'm just an ordinary guy. And this thing is sort of complicated."

"Well, you see, Ronald and Wilfrid look exactly alike."

"You mean they're twins?"

"She nodded. "Even worse. They're dead ringers for each other. Think alike, act alike. That's why I say that if I marry one, it's the same as marrying the other."

He said, "Well, put them in there to reflect on their sins of a few minutes. The others point and say 'ah, ha' and that cures 'em."

The doctor, here for the Canadian Medical Association convention, would not say whether the little girls might be spanked in the future but he was almost certain the present method, which he called modern, would prevail.

In the punishment room is a chair, table and book.

Outdoor plays have been given annually in an outdoor theater on Mt. Tamalpais, California, for 26 years.

AUSTIN, Texas.—(P)—The Texas legislature Wednesday night ended its record-breaking 163-day session a few hours after killing Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's tax program for liberalized old age pensions.

The House turned down the governor's plan for the ninth time when it refused to suspend rules so that a constitutional amendment levying sales-natural resource-service taxes could be reconsidered.

The House action meant the session ended with not a dime of additional revenue provided, the old age pension law liberalized so an estimated 30,000 to 100,000 persons will be placed on the rolls now numbering 118,000 and millions of dollars in revenue which supports the general operating fund of the state remitted to counties.

There is confusion among pension officials as to the exact meaning of the law and considerable doubt as to whether the federal government will match state funds in support of it. The average state-federal pension payment to the 118,000 now on the rolls is \$14.15.

No Spankings for the Dionne Quintuplets

MONTREAL—None of the Dionne quintuplets ever been spanked, their physician, Dr. Allen Roy Dufour, said Wednesday.

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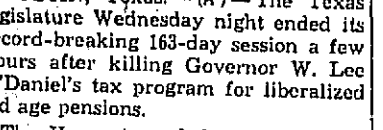
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Royalt puffed in silence for a minute.

"It ought to be easy," he said at last. "Why don't you grab the first one you see and call it a day? No use racking your brain. One pin's the same as another."

The iris eyes seemed to take on a sober look. "But if you're not sure whether you want a pin..."

"Ah," said Royalt, wondering why the sun should appear so bright. "That's another story."

The next instant the clouds blew up.

"But I guess I've got to want one," said the girl. "That explains the golf ball."

"Not to me, it doesn't."

"Well, I don't know why I'm telling you all this," she said. "But it's like this: I'm going to marry either Ronald or Wilfrid. By that I mean, only one of them will be the bridegroom. You understand that, of course."

Royalt nodded. "It's all right so far."

"But I can't decide which. So we're settling it on Saturday—with a golf match."

"Ronald against Wilfrid, eh? So, they're golfers?"

"They are not," said the girl disdaintfully. "They're the world's worst, both of them. You should see the lawn. Father's nearly crazy."

"I begin to see. Ronald and Wilfrid are here, practicing."

"That's right. You're smart to get it."

"Oh, I catch on to things quickly. Why don't they use the golf course?"

"Father has never let them use it. He's a life member of the club. He says he'd never live down the disgrace if they were seen there."

"But the match?"

"Oh, that's to be in the early morning. Before anyone else is up."

Suddenly Royalt looked at her. A wisp of dark hair was chivying her left earlobe. Her profile was straight and fine, ending in an I'll-take-care-of-myself chin. And all at once, he knew. This was the girl. To end girls. "Look," he said boldly. "Is this a private twosome? Or can anybody get in?"

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